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## JITCH APPEAL TO AMERICANS

Take Lead in Stopping Inhuman Treatment of Belgians

## IT IS NOW REACHED

and Indicates Her Willingness to Follow Any Example of United States

England, Dec. 11.—The Associated Press has received from America an "Appeal to the American people" by the Holland section of the League of Neutral States. The appeal is signed by President Niemeyer and others Duhaille and Walsh. It

the president has said that in later a movement would be made when the war would make the neutral nations unbearable. Hollanders that moment has not through our own sufferings because we cannot longer contemplate the ghastly sufferings by Germany upon Belgium.

eloquent protests of the British government and of the higher clergy acquainted you with the facts, as at the section of the Hague in 1907, which deals with the law of war on land will make it known to you that the sole reason the prohibition of this modern dealing was not included was no delegates imagined it could be necessary.

The Hague regulations stipulate the honor and rights of the must be respected but the German government deliberately drags Belgian families apart. To us cruelty is more vivid every day.

day numbers of fugitives, in the deadly electric wire which Germans have erected along the coasts in escaping to the islands. From them we learn

details of the unutterable suffering of the women and children left behind and of the agonies which take place when brothers and sons, dragged their homes are packed into cattle freight cars and thus transported to an unknown fate.

put an end to this—to arrest this scourge, which at the lacerates the whole of northern and western Russia—there one way open, and that is colonization on the part of the nations.

for you, citizens of the mighty neutral states, it is in our opinion right and duty to take the ship upon you. This tyranny to be borne in patience and the nations cannot longer stand by while in western Europe the primitive laws of humanity, observed by uncivilized races, are led under foot.

appeal to you, to your government for energetic and decisive action to call upon the other neutral states to rally around you. That they and faith and strength in your ship is evidenced by the streams expressive of a sympathy desire to co-operate which have us from the moment we published our intention to make this upon the American people. We do estimate to take it upon ourselves

with firm conviction in the of humanity and our hope is fixed on that sense of justice which has always formed one of the cherished traditions of the United States. Americans, are convinced that you will not meet our expectations."

York, Dec. 11.—The situation the deportation of Belgians Germans is "daily more tragic the minds of Belgians are toward America and President according to a cable message sent by Pierre Malo, Belgian minister of justice.

dispatch, dated yesterday at 11 a.m., made public today by the state of citizens which is arranged to be held in Carnegie Hall Friday night as a protest the enslavement of Belgians," committee recently sent a telegram to President Wilson for information which the state department properly furnish regarding the

WILL DEPORT UNDESIRABLES

If Protocol With Mexican Government Is Signed.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 11.—If the protocol drawn by the Mexican American joint commission is signed by representatives of both countries, all aliens in the United States who engage in revolutionary activities in Mexico are expected to be deported by the United States immigration officials as "pernicious foreigners," according to a message received today by Andres Garcia, inspector general of Carranza committee in the United States from Luis Carrera, minister of foreign relations in the defunct cabinet.

If the protocol is signed it is expected here that the embargo on ammunition also will be lifted at once.

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## MORE WARNINGS SENT OUT

Allied Vessels Told of Strange Craft in South Atlantic.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 11.—Warnings for allied shipping throughout the South Atlantic and eastern portions of the Gulf of Mexico, to keep sharp watch for a strange steamer thought to be a German raider, are being sent out day and night by British cruisers and by shore stations in the British West Indies. Wireless messages picked up here today described the suspected craft as a vessel with two funnels.

The warning message, it was said, was very brief and was followed by another in code, although the warning itself was not coded. It was said the warning was being repeated from three to four times day and night.

British schooners engaged in regular service between this port and the Bahamas have not suspended sailing.

## PRESIDENT APPROVES FOOD INVESTIGATION

## ULTIMATE LOWERING OF COST LIES WITH THE PUBLIC

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—General approval of the investigation being conducted by the department of justice into the increased cost of living was given by President Wilson today at a conference with District Attorney Anderson of Boston, in charge of the inquiry. The President will continue the examination of facts collected by various departments before deciding whether any remedial legislation shall be recommended to Congress.

It was said tonight by officials connected with the investigation that their chief hope for the ultimate lowering of the cost of living lies in simplifying the means of transportation of foodstuffs, the practice of economy by the public, increase in production by farmers and through other such methods rather than by the prosecution of law breakers.

Indications are, however, that the program for immediate action already outlined will be followed with little modification. This includes general investigation of the activities of coal and food speculators and an inquiry into the relations between the high cost of living and the shortage of freight cars.

Further information relating to activities of alleged coal speculators was received by the department of justice from its field force of investigators.

In the meantime it was suggested that the public could co-operate in lowering prices of specific foodstuffs by purchasing as little as possible and by buying substitutes.

## MORE SAFETY FOR WORKERS

Capital and Labor Join Hands in Effort to Secure Better Protection.

Syracuse, Dec. 11.—Representative of capital and labor joined forces at the New York State Industrial congress here today in an effort to secure greater protection for workers.

Statements made by four of the speakers reflected the purpose of the congress as follows:

"Industrial accidents in this state alone represent a financial loss of \$40,000 a day,"—James M. Lynch, state industrial commissioner.

"Health is a factor in production and healthy industry will produce wholesome products,"—Col. George Pope, president of the National Association of Manufacturers.

"It costs the employers \$45 to train a new man for the average job,"—John B. Barcalo, president of the Associated Manufacturers of New York state.

"Let us attack the evil of carelessness and industrial hazards by uniting in an enterprise that will help both employer and employee,"—James F. Holland, president of the New York State Federation of Labor.

The keynote of Col. Pope's address was wasteful co-operation between employer and employee in all those problems concerned with the health and safety of the workers would result in less coercive legislation. He maintained that it would not be necessary for the state to force conservation methods in behalf of labor, because it was really a matter of efficiency and that was all important in industry.

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## TEIPER'S STORY CORROBORATED

Negroes Seen on Orchard Park Road Night of the Murder

## DESCRIPTIONS VARY

Defendant Will Not Take Stand His Attorneys Have Indicated in Court

## DEUTSCHLAND HOME AGAIN

Commercial Submarine Completes Second Round Trip.

Berlin, Germany, Dec. 11.—The German commercial submarine Deutschland, completing a quick trip home from the United States, arrived at the mouth of the Weser today.

The arrival of the Deutschland at a German port marks the successful completion of the second round trip of this commercial undersea boat to the United States. On her voyage just finished she made the passage in 19 days having left New London November 21. This bettered considerably the record for her previous eastward trip, which started from Baltimore, took 23 days. Her two westward voyages occupied respectively 20 days and 21 days.

The Deutschland, which is the only commercial craft of her type that has succeeded in reaching this country from Germany, her sister ship, the Fremen, having been lost on her outward voyage, was forced to make two starts from New London on this return trip. On her first attempt, on November 17, she collided with an escorting tug and had to put back to port. She was not badly damaged however and was able to put out again four days later.

The Deutschland on both of her trips brought valuable cargoes, chiefly dyes and chemicals. On her present voyage she took a cargo estimated at \$2,000,000 in value and official mail for Germany.

## GERMANY VIOLATED HER FIRM PLEDGES

ACCORDING TO EVIDENCE AT HAND IN THE MARINA CASE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—Information assembled at the state department and believed by some officials to present a clear cut violation of Germany's pledges in the sinking of the British steamer Marina, with the loss of six American lives, has been forwarded to Berlin for submission to the German foreign office.

It was announced at the department today that the evidence had been sent as a matter of courtesy, to allow the imperial government to offer any other facts it may have before the United States takes its next step. Officials indicated also that any move by this government might be delayed until complete information concerning the British liner Arabic, for which Great Britain has been asked, could be sent to Berlin.

As to the Marina, officials regard the case as complete. According to the evidence, while carrying a cargo of horses and other freight, she was torpedoed and sunk without warning, 100 miles from shore in a high sea, with no provision for the safety of those on board. Many horse tenders, including six Americans were lost. Investigation has developed, it is said, that the ship had not been under charter or requisition by the British government during the war, but had transported horses at so much a head for the allies.

It was said today by men who have been associated in Teiper's defense that the defendant will not take the stand. His attorneys feel, it is said, that since his story is already before the jury in the form of a statement made by him to the district attorney just after the murder, they would gain nothing by putting him on the stand where he would have to undergo a searching cross examination.

Mrs. Teiper, wife of the defendant, will take the stand on Wednesday, it is said. On that day testimony will be completed, it is expected.

DRYING MANY VEGETABLES

Berlin Solving Problem of Using Sunplus Green Foods.

Berlin, Germany, Dec. 11.—Berlin's establishment for drying vegetables, which went into operation in July, is already drying some 40 tons of vegetables daily, and an enlargement of the plant now building will almost double its capacity. It is operated in connection with one of the great gas plants of the city, where it obtains an abundance of cheap fuel, using altogether the waste from the gas retorts and coal-cars.

The drying house serves as a safety valve for the Berlin market. It often happens here, as at all other great centers of population, that more vegetables come upon the wholesale market at certain times than the retail trade can absorb. Whenever this appears to be the case the superfluous cars loaded with vegetables are switched off and carried to the drying establishment. It is chiefly for this reason that the latter will, as is now believed, be kept up permanently as a regulator of the vegetable trade even after the war.

The vegetables dried are chiefly cabbages, but also spinach, carrots, turnips, kale, potatoes and some others are included. When a correspondent of The Associated Press visited the drying house he found some 70 women occupied in trimming cabbage heads, washing, cutting, drying and bagging them. Special machinery does much of the work. The washing, for example, is done in shallow tanks, through the bottom of which air is forced in many jets and under great pressure; this causes a violent boiling movement which thoroughly cleanses the vegetables within a few seconds. Before the cabbages are thrown into the slicing machines a girl holds each head under another machine that neatly bakes out the stem. The sliced cabbage is then parboiled for about one minute, and then goes to the drying kins. These are large, iron furnaces about eight feet high; they hold about ten frames of vegetables at once. The frames, about 12 by 8 feet, have a bottom of wire-netting upon which the cabbage mass is thinly spread. The drying process takes two hours. The dried product is then put into bags and piled away in the store-room.

At present the dried vegetables are used only for feeding the inmates of the various charitable institutions.

It is expected, however, that much of the product will be sold in the markets toward the end of the winter, when the general supply of vegetables grows scarcer.

TRANSPORT SUMMER IS ASHORE IN HEAVY FOG

COAST GUARD CUTTERS ANSWER WIRELESS "S. O. S." CALLS

New York, Dec. 11.—The United States transport Summer, bound from Colon for New York, was ashore in a heavy fog off Barnegat, N. J., tonight, according to a wireless message received here. The Summer sent an "S. O. S." call for assistance and several steamships in the vicinity responded.

The Summer sailed from Colon on Dec. 4. She carries passengers, mail and merchandise and is a vessel of 3,458 tons gross. She is commanded by Captain Webber.

The coast guard cutter Mohawk and the steamers City of Montgomery and the steamer City of Troy followed soon afterward.

A wireless message from the City of Columbus said she was rushing with all speed to the Summer.

A wireless message received from the Summer at midnight said that she apparently was "pretty well up on the beach." The wireless operator aboard the transport said he could hear the surf breaking on the beach very plainly, but owing to the darkness could see nothing.

A later message received from the Summer said she was resting "easily" on the sand and that the sea was light.

The coast guard cutter Seaweed reported that she had picked up the "S. O. S." call and had gone to the Summer's assistance.

Col. John M. Carson Jr., of the quartermaster's corps here in charge of the army transport service, said the Summer had on board a number of soldiers and civilian passengers, but the exact number he did not know.

## CABINET WILL BE UNCHANGED

Attorney General Gregory May Possibly Resign His Post

## BAKER MAY BE SHIFTED

Vance C. McCormack May Be Placed at Head of War Department, It Is Said

## WILL VETO IMMIGRATION BILL

President Wilson Said to Object to Literacy Test Provision.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—While the immigration bill, passed by the house at the last session, was meeting unexpected opposition in the senate today, it became definitely known that President Wilson will veto the measure if it goes to the white house with the literacy test provision, one of its chief features.

The president early in his administration vetoed a similar bill for the same reason—as Presidents Cleveland and Taft had done before him—but advocates of the legislation had hoped that he would not withhold his signature this time if substantial majorities were given in both houses of congress.

Debate on the bill in the senate developed into a general argument over the question of exclusion of aliens on account of race.

## CHRISTMAS SHIP FOR ARMENIAN SUFFERERS

## AMERICAN GIFTS TO RELIEVE WAR VICTIMS TOTAL \$50,000,000

New York, Dec. 11.—With the sailing of the U. S. S. Collier Caesar from New York about December 14 with a Christmas cargo of food, clothing and medicine, for refugees of Armenia and Syria, Red Cross officials estimate America's contributions towards relieving the sufferings of war touch the \$50,000,000 mark.

Secretary McAdoo today denied that he had any intention of resigning. The reports in his case have been most persistent, in spite of denials by officials close to the president.

Regarding Mr. Houston, it became known that the officials of Washington university at St. Louis have extended his leave of absence as chancellor of that institution so that he can continue as head of the department of agriculture. Because of the investigation into the high cost of living and other important work undertaken by Secretary Houston, the President is known to regard his continued service in the cabinet as highly desirable.

Although Secretary Baker has been credited with a desire to leave the cabinet, it is learned that in all likelihood he will remain.

It is understood, however, that there is a possibility that he may be shifted to the department of justice if Mr. Gregory insists on resigning and that Vance V. McCormack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, may be placed in charge of the war department.

In the attorney general's case the report about his intention to resign have been circumstantial and have been generally accepted by officials as true, although he has given no indication of his intentions. The President offered Mr. Gregory a seat on the supreme court once, and should another vacancy occur during the administration it is thought probable he would be seriously considered again.

HAVE LEARNED TO ECONOMIZE

Poorer Families in London Have Not Suffered from Lack of Food.

London, England, Dec. 11.—Welfare workers in the great East End report that families in that district have suffered much less than might have been expected from the high cost of food.

It is generally believed that when President Wilson and Secretary Lansing are ready to act, the next step will take the form of a communication to clear up any doubt that may exist at Berlin as to the interpretation given by the American government to the German pledges given after the attack on the Sussex.

The "six penny meal," which used to include three pence worth of meat, a penny's worth of green vegetables, a penny's

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

## New York Markets

New York, Dec. 11. — Trading in today's markets was governed largely by the course of foreign affairs and a late rise in call money to 10 per cent, the professional element utilizing these developments to depress the general list.

In fact, the 10 per cent money rate was artificial, most loans being renewed at half that rate or lower. Some liquidation occurred as a result of the political conditions in England and France and apprehension was heightened by further declines in Anglo-French 5% and City of Paris 6% to new low records. Incidentally Austrian exchange registered a new minimum.

The list reversed its course before the end of the first hour, however, with lowest prices toward the close. Leading shares showed net declines of 1 to 3 points with a loss of 18 points for Bethlehem Steel on a single transaction.

U. S. steel held steady for a time but fell over a point on the more extensive selling of the later dealings.

Open High Close  
Allis Chal. 24 24 22 22  
Am Ag Ch. 932 938 931 931  
A B Sugar. 1061 1061 1024 101  
Am Can. 614 614 594 592  
Am C & T. 764 77 75  
A H & L. 161 162 16 16  
do pfd. 751 75 77 77  
Am Ice. 30 302 284 303  
Am Lin. 22 22 216 212  
do pfd. 51 51 58 53  
Am Loc. 224 224 90 901  
Am S F. 71 71 701 71  
Am Snell. 1114 1154 1121 1128  
Am Sugar. 1151 1151 1151 1151  
A T & T. 126 126 1252 1252  
Am Tob. 2104 2192 218 218  
Am Wool. 532 541 53 53  
A. W. P. pf. 661 667 661 661  
Am Zinc. 694 694 661 661  
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At Gulf. 116 1454 1114 1142  
Bald Loc. 801 811 751 782  
B and O. 554 552 554 554  
Beth Steel. 645 645 626 626  
B R T. 632 84 842 83  
Butte & S. 702 52 687 690  
Can Pac. 166 166 1654 1651  
Can Lea. 110 113 110 1102  
Cal Pet. 27 27 261 263  
do pfd. 584 582 58 58  
Ches & O. 672 672 664 661  
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Chi G W. 154 154 15 15  
do pfd. 431 172 42 12  
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Cino. 678 678 661 661  
C B & I. 664 654 548 545  
Col Gas. 50 50 452 158  
Com Gas. 1342 1342 1342 1342  
Cora Prod. 281 281 261 268  
Crucible St. 86 86 821 85  
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Del & Hud. 150 150 150 150  
Denver pfd. 432 134 421 43  
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do 1st pref. 52 52 512 518  
Gulf St. 162 163 160 160  
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Granby. 104 104 1021 1021  
Goodrich. 682 682 681 681  
Gr Nor pf. 1174 1174 1162 1162  
do pfd. 432 134 418 118  
Ill Cent. 1064 1062 1063 1063  
Ill Cent. 683 683 67 67  
Inter Con. 173 173 172 173  
Inter Pap. 61 66 631 64  
do pfd. 1070 1098 1068 1071  
I M M. 47 172 112 111  
do pfd. 118 118 1162 115  
Int Nick. 174 174 164 462  
Kan C Sou. 27 27 263 263  
Ket S Tire. 74 71 724 722  
Ken Cop. 561 561 55 55  
Lack Steel. 1014 1048 103 1041  
Lehigh Val. 517 518 507 501  
Mont Pwr. 108 105 1064 107  
Max Mot. 71 721 704 702  
Max Ptr. 105 1051 1061 1062  
Miami. 463 154 15 154  
Mo Pac. 183 191 172 172  
Mo P W I. 36 761 512 55  
Mo K T. 101 101 92 92  
Nat En. 301 362 31 346  
Ohio Gas. 1143 1151 1112 1114  
N Y Alt B. 1681 1682 1651 1654  
N Y Cent. 1071 1078 1064 1063  
N Y N H. 562 561 55 55  
Nev Con. 333 312 306 318  
Nord & W. 1394 1394 1376 1372  
No Pac. 111 111 1101 1103  
Ont & W. 312 312 301 301  
Pnc Mall. 28 28 269 269  
Penn. 562 562 561 561  
Pitt Coal. 511 514 51 518  
P S Car. 52 53 512 511  
Rv St Spr. 59 59 573 573  
Ray Con. 321 321 312 312  
Reading. 110 110 1055 1055  
Rep I S. 578 55 554 556  
Rock Is. 73 76 77 372  
Stoss-Shof. 523 523 512 509  
Sot Pac. 994 997 983 986  
Sot Ry. 701 701 294 294  
do pfd. 68 681 68 551  
Studebaker. 1204 1204 1179 1202  
Tenn Cop. 241 241 241 241  
Texas Co. 203 203 2004 2004  
Third Ave. 511 512 504 504  
Tob Prod. 561 561 56 56  
Union Elec. 130 1372 1316 136  
U Bag & P. 142 143 142 142  
U S Smelt. 71 71 73 73  
Un Clg St. 982 994 981 981  
Un Light. 161 161 1582 1581  
U S C I P. 259 252 205 252  
U S Lub. 601 601 586 588  
do pfd. 111 111 1112 1112  
U S Steel. 1274 1252 1234 1234  
do pfd. 1211 1211 1218 1218  
Utah Cop. 1229 1229 1192 1192  
Va Chem. 451 451 451 451  
Wabash. 161 161 158 158  
do pfd. A. 581 582 571 571  
West Md. 19 194 191 198  
Westing. 513 512 501 502  
White Mot. 52 52 522 52  
Whip-O. 771 788 774 771  
W U Tel. 102 102 102 102  
New York Produce.  
Butter — Firm, receipts, 4.117  
tubs; creamy higher than extra, extra  
special, 83¢@33; extra, 9¢ score, 38;  
firsts, 26¢@33; seconds, 34¢@34.  
Eggs — Firm, receipts, 4.117  
cases; fresh gathered extra fine, 15¢  
50; extra firsts, 16¢@47; firsts, 43¢@  
seconds, 33¢@42; refrigerator special  
marks, fancy, 33¢; refrigerator sec-  
onds to firsts, 31¢@33; nearby henney  
white, one to fancy, 55¢@58; browns  
50¢@55.  
Cheese — Steady; receipts, 12¢

boxes; state held specials, 24¢@26;  
do average fancy, 24¢@24.  
Poultry — Live, firm; no prices set-  
tled; dressed, quiet, chickens, 15¢@29;  
fowls, 13¢@21; turkeys, 18¢@28.

New York Live Stock.  
Beef — Receipts, 3,440; firm,  
steers, \$4.75@4.75; bullocks, \$3.50@7;  
cows, \$3.50@6.00.

Cattle — Receipts, 2,500; steady;  
veals, \$1.00@1.10; culs, \$8@9; grass-  
ers, \$2.50@2.75; Ohio and western,  
\$1.75@2.50; yearlings, \$1.50@2.50.  
Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 6-  
600; strong; sheep, \$5.50@5.50; culs,  
\$5@6; lambs, \$1.50@1.70; culs, \$5@6.

Hogs — Receipts, 9,640; weak,  
light to heavy, \$4.50@10.10; roughs,  
\$8.75; pigs, \$5@6.50.

KILL THE WINTER FLIES.

lest they become progenitors of  
billions of descendants next summer.

Poison them, swat them or choke  
them to death—it matters not how;  
but kill them somehow! Kill them  
now ere they become parents, grand-  
parents, great-grand parents, great-  
great-grandparents, etc., of billions  
of flies next summer.

See you upon the window sill,  
the gentle, innocent looking, soft-  
voiced little thing—you have let him  
make refuge in your home for the win-  
ter, you have taken pity on his un-  
clothed condition; he is your guest.  
But trust him not! He is a traitor to  
your hospitality. Even as he threads  
his lonely way across the window-pane  
or sits a moment unobtrusively upon  
your chocolate cake, he is hatching  
villainous plots against you. He is es-  
timating how large a colony of young  
flies he can force you to entertain next  
summer; he is making plans to intro-  
duce typhoid, dysentery and infantile  
paroxysms germs into your family as  
soon as he can train his descendants  
to help him bring them in. He is a  
wretch as I have said. Trust him not.

And this I'll whisper lest he hear—  
do not even think him dead until you  
have squashed him or cremated him  
or killed him in some such definite  
way. He may lie with folded hands  
and silent voice and motionless fea-  
tures at though in death; but he is  
fooling thee—beware! He is not dead  
but sleeping—waiting only for the  
warm spring sun to wake him to his  
life of crime once more.

So kill him, kill him now; and kill  
him thoroughly. he deserves it.

## Need a Laxative?

Don't take a violent purgative. Right  
the sluggish condition with the safe,  
vegetable remedy which has held pub-  
lic confidence for over sixty years.

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.  
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 75c.

Something Coming to Him.  
"How old are you?" asked the Judge  
of a prisoner who was under arrest for  
stealing.  
"I dunno."  
"When were you born?"

"What's the use of my telling you  
about my birthday? You ain't going to  
make me a birthday present, are you?"  
—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

## HAPPY HOUR THEATRE

ALWAYS WARM AND COMFORTABLE

TODAY MATINEE 1:30 AND 3:30 ADMISSION 5c and 10c

MARIE WALCAMP EDDIE POLO AND JACK HOLT IN

"A DAUGHTER OF MARS"

ELEVENTH EPISODE OF THE POPULAR PHOTO SERIAL

"LIBERTY" — A Daughter of the U. S. A.

THE THRILLING, EXCITING ADVENTURES OF "LIBERTY" HORTON

WHILE THE MEXICANS HOLD HER FOR RANSOM DON'T MISS IT.

"THE QUITTER"

A gripping story of how an Eastern Girl quits the west. How she came back  
and made good, featuring Ruberta Wilson.

"THE EVIDENCE"

A MYSTERY'S CRIME CLEARLY SOLVED,  
featuring Robert Leonard.

"IN LOVE WITH A FIREMAN"

FEATURING GALE HENRY AND WM. FRANEY.

THE MUTUAL WEEKLY

NEWS OF THE WORLD IN MOTION PICTURES.

## ONEONTA THEATRE

## FIRST CONCERT OF THE SEASON

## GARDNER PHILHARMONIC

Forty Minutes with  
Sixty Local Musicians

## Miss Bessie Marshall, Soloiste

TOGETHER WITH THE BEAUTIFUL PARAMOUNT PRODUCTION

## "THE KISS"

With OWEN MOORE and  
MARGUERITE COURTOOT

As the title suggests the gentle art of osculation forms an im-  
portant part in this novel photoplay romance. Among the thrilling  
episodes is an airplane flight in which the two stars take an active  
part.

— ALSO —

## PARAMOUNT PICTOGRAPH

MATINEE 2:15 EVENING 7:15-9

10c ADMISSION TO ALL

15c ADMISSION TO ALL

THURSDAY, DEC. 14 MATINEE EVENING  
THE SEASON'S SEMI-ANNUAL EVENT

LYMAN H. HOWE'S TRAVEL FESTIVAL

HAWAII SPAIN NORWAY

PREPAREDNESS WEST POINT MANY OTHERS

PRICES: Matinee 25-35; Children 15c  
Evening 25c-35c-50c

At Your Service! The Greatest Christmas Jewelry Store

## 11 MORE SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

Jewelry is the Ideal Gift. It is Lasting and Useful

This year we have made a special effort to  
get for our many friends the highest grade of  
merchandise, the finest diamonds and the  
brightest ideas in jewelry. We want you to  
know that the prices are what they should be  
and that a purchase from this store means  
complete satisfaction.

Don't fail to send for catalogue, or pay  
us a visit.

EUGENE LEIGH WARD  
149 Main Street — Oneonta, N. Y.

## The Christmas Gift Store

## Big Offering of Seasonable Goods Now on Display

We have now on display one of the largest and daintiest assort-  
ments of goods particularly adapted for Christmas gifts ever  
offered in Oneonta. Among the varied lines will be found the  
following:

## Leather Goods

Lap Desks, Portfolios, Brief Cases, Music Rolls,  
Collar Bags, Toilet Sets, Hand Bags, Bill Folds,  
Card Cases, Desk Sets, Etc.

## Stationery

The largest and most varied line ever shown in  
Oneonta, including Papeteries and Cabinets from  
the well known Shetland, Des Arts, White and Wy-  
koff and Berlin and Jones lines, selling at from 50c  
to \$4.00.

## Greeting Cards and Folders

Our Assortment of Holiday Greeting Cards and  
Folders includes the best from more than a half dozen  
lines. All sizes, colors and styles are shown at  
all prices up to \$1.00.

Now is the time to choose personal greeting  
cards to be engraved with your name.

## Miscellaneous Office Supply Items

A practical gift for the office is always appreciated.  
The line includes Fountain Pens, Automatic  
pencils, Desk Sets, Ink Wells, Desk Blotters and  
hundreds of other items.

## The Osborn Xmas Tree Holder

Cannot tip over, will hold any size Christmas  
Tree. Price 35c.

Don't forget that our line contains the daintiest, most practical  
and most suitable articles for Christmas gifts. There are hundreds  
of items that we cannot enumerate here that are well worth your  
inspection.

## THE ONEONTA PRESS

The Gift Shop of Oneonta

32-34 Broad Street

Star Want Ads Gain in Favor

## OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

FOUR ACT COMEDY AT MILFORD. A position as clerk at the general store of G. D. Culver and commenced his duties today. DeForest Cooper, who has been clerk at Culver's store the last year, resigned the position last week.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Armstrong of Cherry Valley were over-Sunday guests at C. J. Armstrong's—Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Weatherly and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Haight and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. Petty at Westford.—C. E. Merriam was a business caller in Oneonta Saturday.—Mrs. Viola Newton returned Monday to the hospital at Cooperstown.—Miss Anna Scott spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Murphy.—Mrs. C. E. Hearn is confined to the house with eczema in her hands and arms.

Mrs. Roswell Camp is a patient at the hospital at Cooperstown.—Miss Anna Scott spent Sunday with her parents at Roseboom.—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pitts made a business trip to Oneonta Thursday.

at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, for their annual election of officers. The gentlemen are invited to come and spend the evening with them.

George Baldwin Dies at County Farm.

George Baldwin, an old resident of Middlefield, died at the County farm last week, and his body was brought here for burial last Wednesday.

## MIDDLEFIELD LOCALS.

William Eldred and son, William Jr., of Delanson, spent last week with friends in town.—Miss Vivian Barnard of Milford spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Murphy.—Mrs. C. E. Hearn is confined to the house with eczema in her hands and arms.

Mrs. Viola Newton returned Monday to the hospital at Cooperstown.—Miss Anna Scott spent Sunday with her church which was held last Saturday. Following officers were elected: Pulpit

## LATEST OTEGO DATA.

## Junior League Elect Officers at Sunday Meeting for Ensuing Year.

Otsego, Dec. 11.—The election of officers in the Junior League took place after the league service Sunday. The following were chosen: President, Miss Marian Blakely; first vice president, Bernice Fish; second vice president, Ruth Stanton; third vice president, Mary Sandyke; fourth vice president, Daniel Gifford; secretary, Vida Cooke; assistant secretary, Wilma Hyatt; treasurer, Paul Hyatt; assistant treasurer, Gladys Stanton; pianist, Bernice Fish; assistant pianist, Marian Blakely; chorister, Gladys Stanton; usher, Paul Hyatt.

Annual Meeting of Christian Church.

The annual meeting of the Christian Church was held last Saturday. Following officers were elected: Pulpit

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## MISERABLE FROM STOMACH TROUBLE

## Felt Wretched Until He Started To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

504 CHAMPLAIN ST., MONTREAL.

"For two years, I was a miserable sufferer from Rheumatism and Stomach Trouble. I had frequent Dizzy Spells, and when I took food, felt wretched and sleepy. I suffered from Rheumatism dreadfully, with pains in my back and joints, and my hands swollen.

A friend advised "Fruit-a-tives" and from the outset, they did me good. After the first box, I felt I was getting well and I can truthfully say that "Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine that helped me." LOUIS LABRIE.

50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ogdensburg, N.Y.

## DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

## SIDNEY BULLETIN.

Industrial Course to Be Opened in Connection with Sidney School.

Sidney, Dec. 11.—Through the cooperation of the Civic department of the American University club of this village, an important department will be added to the Sidney school. They

dies and will give them the use of a room for class purposes. Sewing will be taught free by competent members of the club, who are enthusiastic over the work. Whitney Smith of Binghamton, who has had much experience along this line, has been engaged to assist in organizing the work.

Real Estate Transaction.

An important real estate transaction took place here this morning, when George W. Nutter sold his farm at Trestle, near Guilford, to Frank Schlafer of this village. The farm consists of 210 acres, well stocked and with good buildings. The consideration was \$8,500. The farm was formerly owned by Ed. Humphrey of Sidney and is a desirable one. Mr. Schlafer has been village street commissioner in Sidney the past two years and has performed the duties in a most efficient manner. He will take possession immediately.

## Seven Per Cent Dividend.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Globe Silo company of this village, a dividend of seven per cent was declared on the preferred stock of the company. This concern is one of Sidney's newest industrial concerns, commencing operations last spring, and their first season's business was very encouraging. They manufactured and disposed of 236 silos and the present outlook indicates that in 1917 they will more than double this output.

Supervisor R. W. Silver is president of the corporation and J. M. Moore general manager.

Organizes Band at Maybrook.

Frances Larkin, the well known band manager of this village, has organized a band of 25 pieces at May-

## TEACHER IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Could Not Sleep, Had No Appetite. How She Recovered.

Purchased Farm.

Jay C. Webb of Cooperstown has purchased of Earl Albaugh the farm known as the Joseph Webb farm on Middlefield Hill.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Cloxton Friday afternoon, Dec. 15, from 2 until 4 o'clock. All members are invited.

Ladies' Auxiliary Elect Officers.

The Ladies' Auxiliary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet

at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 15.

We guarantee Vinol for run-down conditions.

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## SPECIAL This Week for Cash

Hamburg Steak, lb. .... 16c

Sausage, lb. .... 18c

Frankfurters, lb. .... 18c

Liverwurst, lb. .... 20c

Swift Premium Hams, lb. .... 23c

Armour's Star Hams, lb. .... 23c

Bacon, lb. .... 25c

Porterhouse, round, sirloin, steak 25c

Beef Roasts, lb. .... 40c to 20c

Pork Steak, lb. .... 25c

Pork Chops, lb. .... 22c and 24c

Home-made Sauerkraut, 1/2 qt. ....

two quarts for ..... 25c

Card Honey, lb. .... 15c

Fowls and Chickens, lb. .... 22c

Dill Pickles, doz. .... 20c

Sour Pickles, doz. .... 15c

Onions, lb. .... 5c

Kerosene Oil, gal. .... 10c

Maple Syrup, pck. .... 9c

Dry Beans, lb. .... 12c

Lima Beans, lb. .... 12c

Winter Squash, lb. .... 3c

Home Fried Lard, lb. .... 18c

We carry all kinds of salt fish.

We deliver free of charge.

Todd's Cash Market

42 Main Street Phone 19

## BELL-ANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

McCall's Patterns and Magazines for January now in. McCall's Magazine with Pattern now only 50c a year. Beginning with February issue 75c a year. Better subscribe now for two years and save 50c.

## Oneonta Dept. Store, Inc.

155-161 MAIN ST.

ALSO ENTRANCE ON WALL STREET

ONEONTA, N.Y.

## Dry Goods Department

Only 10 more days, after today, before Christmas and if you are wise you will shop this week.

Our stocks are immense and our prices are as good, in nearly every instance as they were last year.

Below are just a few of our various articles: Ivory Novelties of all kinds; Leather Novelties of all kinds; Japanese Goods; Leather Hand Bags; Silk and Velvet Bags; Colored and Black Umbrellas; Mesh Bags; Jewelry Novelties; Handkerchiefs; Neckwear, Boudoir Caps; Hosiery; Gloves; Infants' Wear; Petticoats in Xmas Boxes; Waists in Xmas Boxes; Fancy Towels, both Turkish and Huck; Bath Sets and Bath Rugs; Infants' Dresses; Bathrobe Blankets; Bathrobes; Lace-trimmed Scarfs and Centers; Muslim Under-

DOVE Under-muslins

wear in Xmas Boxes; Jersey Silk Underwear; Crepe de Chine Underwear; Ladies' and Children's Sweaters and Skating Sets; Table Linen; Lunch Cloths, Tray Cloths, etc.; Silk Kimonos; Tourist Cases; Narcissus Bulbs in Xmas Boxes.

Give a Useful and Practical Gift.

Buy material for a Waist, Dress, Suit or Coat and we will put it in a box, making it suitable for a gift.

## Art Department.

You still have some time left to make a very pretty gift and you will find our Art Department well stocked with new merchandise.

A fine line of Ribbons is always carried here.

Dress with Rippling Square Tunie McCall Pattern No. 7533, one of the many new designs for January

If You Are Particular About Your Printing Bring your Order to the Herald Shop

## BAKER'S GARMENT SHOP

Separate Skirts  
\$3.50  
Regular \$6.00 Values

High class Wool Skirts in Navy, Black and Checks; Sizes up to 36 band.

## 2nd Floor Oneonta Department Store

Serge Dresses  
\$5.00

Regular \$9.50 Values

Up-to-Date Serge Dresses in Navy, Black, Burgundy, Green and Brown—All Sizes

## ONE-THIRD AND ONE-HALF OFF TO CLEAN UP STOCK

Today we commence the biggest bargain event of the season. Hundreds of Women's and Misses' Coats, Suits, Dresses and Waists at 1/3 and 1/2 off the regular price. All are this season's styles from our regular stock. Don't miss this opportunity to secure your Winter Coat or Suit at January prices (Two Garment at the price of one.)

|                          |         |
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| \$10.00 WINTER COATS, AT | \$5.00  |
| \$18.00 WINTER COATS AT  | \$10.00 |
| \$25.00 WINTER COATS, AT | \$15.00 |
| \$45.00 WINTER COATS, AT | \$25.00 |
| \$15.00 WINTER SUITS, AT | \$8.00  |
| \$19.50 WINTER SUITS, AT | \$10.00 |
| \$29.75 WINTER SUITS, AT | \$12.00 |
| \$39.00 WINTER SUITS, AT | \$18.00 |

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| \$12.50 EVENING GOWNS, AT  | \$8.95  |
| \$15.00 EVENING GOWNS, AT  | \$10.00 |
| \$40.00 EVENING GOWNS, AT  | \$22.50 |
| \$5.00 SILK PETTICOATS, AT | \$2.95  |
| \$30.00 SILK DRESSES, AT   | \$19.75 |
| \$19.75 SILK DRESSES, AT   | \$13.50 |
| \$5.00 WOOL SKIRTS, AT     | \$2.95  |
| \$8.50 WOOL SKIRTS, AT     | \$5.00  |

## WAIST BARGAINS

event, coming as it does, just when the average woman is interested in a New Coat or Suit for winter wear. Any garment will be held on a small payment for delivery on Saturday preceding "Christmas," which falls on Monday this year. No goods charged or sent on approval at these special prices.

BAKER'S GARMENT SHOP  
SECOND FLOOR ONEONTA DEPARTMENT STORE

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Six Months ..... 2.00

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CHRISTMAS TREES FOR ALL.

Every day for the past two weeks carload after carload of evergreen trees has gone southward over the D. &amp; H., designed largely for the homes of Philadelphia and other Pennsylvania cities. Some of them are even consigned to Baltimore and Washington, for the Christmas delight of the young南部。 There are approximately 2,000 trees to a car, and evidently so large a shipment means each season the devastation of vast areas of forest land unless the cutting is done with judgment.

There is no question but that methods of cutting evergreen trees in the past have resulted in injury and even destruction of excellent stands of growing evergreens. To prevent recurrence of earlier injurious results from cutting of Christmas green, state authorities are urging conservative cutting, which it believes will allow the taking out of our annual supply of Christmas trees without interfering with the future welfare of the forest. The cutting out of Christmas trees should be a part of the thinning out of the forest and where such is done with care the forest will be improved rather than injured by the removal of the small trees.

In Germany and other European countries many forest plantations are made with the idea of thinning out the trees from year to year to supply the Christmas tree trade. Under any system of forest planting there are more trees put out than are needed in the final stand, the idea being to force the natural pruning of the lower branches so that the new wood will be laid on the main stem instead of going into too many branches. From time to time the small trees must be removed to allow proper development of the better pruned specimens and the trees so taken out can be utilized very profitably in meeting the annual demand for Christmas trees. Plantations are being made in this country where the same treatment will be given and from this time on there should be available annually an ever increasing number of Christmas trees in New York, so that eventually every home may experience the pleasure of a Christmas tree for the Christmas season.

Throughout the northeastern part of the United States the most desirable Christmas tree is the Balsam fir. Next to this comes the red spruce.

Both of these trees grow abundantly and thrifly in the Adirondacks and to a limited extent over high elevations in other parts of the state. The Catskills and Adirondacks formerly supplied a large part of the trees used in New York city and vicinity. Now the source of supply is Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont largely, but Canada has sent to this country many carloads of trees and that in spite of export duty.

Timberland owners and those wishing to market trees for the Christmas trade are warned against making any cutting without obtaining a definite market for their product. The prices obtained for Christmas trees fluctuate more than any other similar commodity on the market. If there is a strong demand, and the supply is short, the resultant price will be good. It happens very frequently that the markets are glutted with trees and then no one makes even a fair return from his sale. Trees usually reach the wholesale market from the 1st to the 15th of December and at the present time freight on cars will run from \$10 to \$100.

## COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

"A Glance at the Map."

We have not had so much of the stereotyped phrase, "When the history of the war comes to be written" just lately, but "A glance at the map will show" still crops up constantly. As a matter of fact, anybody with the smallest experience on maps is aware that a "glance" at them is generally worse than useless. To get the hang of even a small section of country the map must be studied pretty carefully. Men in officers' training corps soon discover that the trick of map reading cannot be acquired by the glancing method, and some never acquire it at all. On the other hand, there are men with the map instinct, with a large scale map before them they can visualize country that they have never actually set eyes on. (London Chronicle).

Staggering Waste.

And now a heat expert declares that through mismanagement of fire, especially in power plants fully a half-billion dollars are lost in this country every year by waste of coal. There are a good many subjects which we ought to have studied while we have been trying to master subjects which are of no real benefit to a heat consumer.

The Lesson of Economy.

What makes you keep losing half a price of coal into the air? The heat experts say that we have to do more with less. And the people having coal to burn are teaching each other to do more with less. And the people having coal to burn have any previous record of a heat consumer.

## SOLONS DISCUSS HIGHWAYS

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION IN REGARD TO USE OF MOTOR LICENSE MONEY.

Two Resolutions Introduced, One Providing that the Sum be Used for Otsego Lake Road, the Other That It Be Devoted to Putting Oneonta-Franklin Turnpike in Good Condition.

Cooperstown, Dec. 11.—(Special)—The relative public importance of the highway on the east side of Otsego lake and the Oneonta-Franklin turnpike came up for discussion by the supervisors of Otsego county at their session here this afternoon. There is in the hands of the county treasurer the sum of \$2,442 as the county's share of license money for motor vehicles and under the motor vehicle law and the law provides that the supervisors shall determine what road or roads in one or several towns shall have the benefit of this money for improvement, the road or roads so selected not being upon the county map for state road construction.

The subject was launched when resolutions were offered by Messrs. Blencoe and Disbrow providing respectively that the sum be appropriated for the Otsego lake and turnpike roads. After some discussion the resolutions were laid over under the rule.

Mr. Whipple championed the resolution of the Otsego lake road, declaring that the town of Middlefield through which the road runs for its entire six miles has not a mile of state road and has no prospect of securing any for many years to come. He said that it was a very shady and muddy road; one that will be very expensive to put in good condition and that he considered it a very important one indeed, not only for the use of farmers of several towns including Middlefield, Otsego, Springfield and Cherry Valley, but for the general traffic in the summer time, when if in good condition it would be used by thousands of motorists from all over the country. He called upon Mr. Sawyer to state its value to the people of Cherry Valley and Mr. Sawyer stated that his people would rather see that road built than any outside the town.

Mr. Blencoe said that if the members of the board could have heard what he has listened to with regard to the road since he has been supervisor they would all be in favor of making the provision for its repair. He called attention to the fact that his town has more mileage than any other in the county and that with so many miles of road to keep in good shape and with no state road whatever it had been impossible for the town supervisor to keep it in as good repair as its importance deserved.

Although his resolution called for the full amount for the Oneonta-Franklin turnpike Mr. Disbrow expressed the opinion that the money ought to be divided between the two roads. He said that it was the general opinion that it would take about \$2,500 to put the turnpike in good condition and that he considered it a very important work.

Mr. Horan asked why it would not be better to distribute it among the poor towns of the county and let the roads in the richer towns wait. The general opinion, however, among those who spoke seemed to be that it would be preferable to put the money in one or two places where enough could be done to make a good showing.

Mr. Parish said that he was not in favor of distributing it among all the towns but that he would be in favor of dividing it between Middlefield and Oneonta.

Upon motion of Mr. Whipple the report of the finance committee printed in full Saturday was taken from the table and adopted.

The committee on county officers and compensation, Messrs. Brown, Disbrow and French, reported claims against the county amounting to \$3,200.00 which were audited in full. The report was laid over under the rule.

The committee on correction and reformation reported claims for district attorney's expenses amounting to \$231.51 which were audited in full and recommended that the sum of \$150 be appropriated for the same purpose next year. Laid over under the rule.

Mr. Eismay moved that his resolution relative to the election of a county sealer of weights and measures be made a special order of the day for 10 a. m., Tuesday, and the motion was carried.

DON'T WAIT TILL DEC. 21.

Do Your Shopping Now, and Save the Shop Girls Weary Hours.

Every year the Consumers' league and other organizations interested in the welfare of working women send out earnest appeals to the public to "shop early." While men as well as women undergo hardship in the Christmas rush, especially the men who drive delivery wagons, yet the chief sufferers are the great army of saleswomen and shopgirls. It is sad to think that to thousands of women and girls the celebration of the birthday of the Prince of Peace means a time of terrible overstrain and exhaustion, and often of lifelong injury. And, like most evils, this is wholly needless. A little forethought on the part of each individual customer would do away with it. As there are always some persons who will not think the thought for their neighbor, it is necessary to call in the law to prevent abuse. A good deal has already been done in this direction, but the consumer, the protector of this great army of shop girls, must continue to do her part. Let her do it before the shop girls do it for her.

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### LOCAL MENTION.

The new advertisements in this issue are: Badet's Garment Shop, Theatre Oneonta, Oneonta Department Store, Inc., Happy Hour, A. R. Benedict, The Strand, Baker Brothers, The Casino, Franklin J. Tros, Henry Summers, Herrell's Clothes Shop, Oneonta, Sales Co., Lyons, Factory G. C. Store.

The Oneonta Sales company yesterday unloaded a carload of Ford cars—the first of the winter shipments and will be able to fill a few orders of the present time, the last car upon the floor having been delivered to a customer earlier in the day. The demand for this make of car among the best few months has precluded keeping any stock on hand.

### Meeting Today.

Centennial Lodge, 117, L. O. P., this evening at 7 p. m. Worthy initiator degree and nomination of officers for ensuing term.

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church parlor this afternoon at 2:30. Comfortable to the degree will be given of the convention held in Binghamton.

Ladies' Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2:30, with Mrs. Smiley, 19 Spring street.

Regular monthly meeting tonight of the Drama class of the West End Baptist mission of the home of the pastor, Rev. D. H. Woodward, 197 River street. All members and their ladies are requested to be present. Business of importance and also the regular election of officers.

Queen Amherst Court, C. D., will meet promptly at 7 o'clock this evening at Masonic hall, 12, M.

### Meeting Wednesday.

The O. E. S. Social club will meet with Mrs. Speirs Hall, 8 Myrtle avenue, Wednesday afternoon and evening.

### Fortnightly with Prof. Curtis.

Owing to illness in the family of Dr. Daniel Luce, the meeting of the fortnightly club this evening will be held at the home of Prof. Arthur M. Curtis, 84 Maple street. The paper will be by Prof. E. H. Ambert of the Normal faculty; his theme being "The Romance of Words." W. D. Bush, who was to have spoken on "Holland," is also ill, and the paper by Prof. Ambert, which was to have come later in the season, is substituted.

### Oneonta Poultry Show.

Frank Hanes, secretary of the Oneonta Poultry show, states that there are no poultry shows advertised this year for Albany, Schenectady or Troy, and that the number of requests for catalogues of the local show received from these places indicates that the exhibition will be something worth seeing. Keep the date in mind—Dec. 18-22 inclusive. The admission fee is only 15 cents. Do not miss the big show.

### Meeting County Medical Society.

The annual meeting of the Oneonta County Medical society will be held in Oneonta at the county court chambers today. The business session in the morning will be followed by a lunch at the Windsor hotel at 12:30, after which there will be a scientific session with papers by Dr. Crittenden, Dr. Dewar and Dr. D. H. Mills.

### Paralysis Clinic Tomorrow.

The clinic for the treatment of the after-effects of infantile paralysis will be held tomorrow at the state armory, as previously has been announced in The Star, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. The Elks of Oneonta will furnish automobile transportation for those in the city unable to walk and free funds for those unable to return home at noon.

### Woman's Club.

A progressive card party will be held in the club rooms this evening at 8 o'clock. A pleasant evening is promised for all members.

### A short business meeting will be held this evening at 7:30.

### A Chance of a Lifetime.

For sale—at a discount, but a new Ford car just bought today. Am looking for west. Had expected to take it along as an necessity of life, but freight rates prohibitory. \$775 for car. Phone 10-1713. L. K. Kitegordon, Landrys.

### Caulkins' Studio.

Makes you a whole number of camera folder photographs \$4.50. This is 10 per cent off the regular price of these goods. Caulkins' studio, 12 Broad, advt. 11.

### Ninus trees for sale—Pretty fir, balsam and cedar trees. Various sizes and prices. Also balsam bushes and running pine. Goods delivered. Mrs. H. Nealey, 2 Center. Phone 867-872.

### Woodworkers—Wanted a man capable of operating a moulding machine, or a planer and matcher, steady work, good wages; only experienced man need apply. John P. Brady & Co., Cooperstown, N. Y.

### Christmas Suggestions.

Christmas novelties of a dainty and unusual sort; millinery for every occasion at moderate prices; courteous and careful service. Smith & Lufthau, 218 Main street.

### Come and get some of the famous chicken patties and other good things to eat at the Chapel Memorial church Dec. 13, and incidentally buy a pretty Christmas gift from the fancy booth or a box of home-made candy, advt. 11.

### Florida, Bermuda, West Indies, Iowa.

rates. Ask C. H. Bowdish advt. 11.

### MRS. HENRY J. VOLK SUICIDES

IN ILL HEALTH AND DESPONDENT  
SLASHES THROAT WITH RAZOR.

Deed Committed Shortly Before Mid-  
night Sunday Night—Death Follows  
at Fox Memorial Hospital at 8  
o'clock Monday Morning—Funeral  
Which Will Be Private on Wednes-  
day at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Henry J. Volk, who had been in ill health for months and despondent for weeks, committed suicide at the family apartments at 113 Main street Sunday night, cutting her throat with a razor at about 11 o'clock and expiring at the Fox Memorial hospital within which she had been taken at about 8 o'clock Monday morning. She had been staying at the home of her mother, Mrs. Annette Cross, on Academy street, since Thanksgiving day, but on Saturday she was more cheerful and expressed a desire to return to her home which she did. Her husband accompaniment her and remained with her. She rested and had fallen asleep and Mr. Volk dropped upon a couch in an adjoining room. He was awakened by her unusual breathing and found her in the room with a bath garnish in the neck, inflicted with a razor. As soon as he could have her side he made an effort to reach her physician, Dr. Cutler, but failing, called Dr. Mills who responded. He found her very weak from loss of blood, the wind-  
pipe and a large vein on the right side of the neck having been severed. At the request of the family she remained there but later the ambulance driver was located and she was removed to the Fox hospital at about 2:30 yesterday morning, death following at about 8 o'clock. Dr. Mills had reached her side in time to have checked the flow of blood before it had been so profuse, trials he might have been able to save her life, he having succeeded with a very similar case while in a hospital in New York city.

Coroner's inquest was called upon the case and while the statements of Mr. Volk are substantiated by the circumstances the coroner had not at a late hour yesterday signed the death certificate which, however, it is believed will be done later. Mrs. Volk had been it is generally understood, struggling with a drug habit and this in a measure is believed to have been responsible for her condition.

The deceased's maiden name was Nellie J. Cross and while she was born in Virginia, the larger part of her life had been passed in Oneonta. She at one time resided in Binghamton for a few years. Her age was 12 years. She was married to Henry J. Volk 21 years ago and he, the mother, Mrs. Annette Cross of Academy street, and one sister, Mrs. Mabel F. Gage, now residing with her mother, are the only near surviving relatives.

The funeral services, which will be private, will be held from the family apartments at 113 Main street on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Rev. G. C. Dickinson, rector of St. James church, will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot at Riverside cemetery.

### Salvation Army Christmas Tree.

The Salvation Army of Oneonta intends giving a Christmas tree and entertainment, the same as last year, to 100 poor children of the city, and it is hoped that citizens as in other years will come to its aid with gifts of toys, garments, etc. Already the army has received six letters addressed to Santa Claus from children making their requests known. All who wish to help in the work are requested to address 21 Gaulk avenue or phone 256-W2.

In this connection the Salvation army is hoping that some kind farmers will help cut the holiday offerings by donations of a few bushels of potatoes, apples and vegetables of any kind for the Christmas baskets for the poor. Address as above.

### Inspect Company G.

Major L. S. St. John, of the Second Battalion, First regiment of Binghamton, and A. D. Wilson, captain of the depot battalion at Binghamton during the absence of Company H on duty last summer, were in Oneonta last night and inspected Company G at their regular Monday night drill.

### HIDDEN VALLEY" AT STRAND.

Highly Dramatic Story. Starring the Beautiful Baroness DeWitz, Today.

"Hidden Valley" is a highly dramatic story depicting the power of brains over brute force. We follow the fortunes of a white man who penetrates the depths of darkest Africa for a large import of ostrich plumes. Here he bravely invades "Hidden Valley" where plumes are plentiful, but where death awaits the intruder; how he is forced as a slave because he brings wealth to the wild valley, and how he finds a beautiful white girl, about to be married, is a splendid tale of truth, mysticism and romance.

Thedford has filmed the scenes in Africa with striking realism, and the hands of ebony skinned savages makes a wonderful background for Valkyrie's beauty.

Villiers, the Baroness DeWitz, prima donna of the Royal Danish ballet, chosen of sixty thousand contestants, as the most classically beautiful maiden of Denmark, is the star at a come. Here and There in Spain and Italy Milk Supply.

The City Messenger service have moved to their new location at 192 Main street over Laskaris. Open from 7 a. m. to 12 p. m. Call after 10 p. m. 256. Phone 62.

Lost—Last evening, in this city, bill book containing sum of money. Identification card has name of George B. Smith, North Harperfield. advt. 11.

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Irvin S. Sweet, practical bone-setter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, Jan. 1, 1917, Norwich, Jan. 3.

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### POMONA GRANGE HERE TODAY.

Annual Gathering of County Organization With Banquet at The Oneonta.

Today the annual meeting of the Oneonta County Grange will open in this city with sessions at 10:30 a. m. and 1 and 7:30 p. m. and about 50 delegates from the subordinate granges about the county are expected. The morning session will be devoted to routine business and after the noon recess a literary program will be rendered. The address of welcome will be given by E. G. Horton of West Oneonta and the response will be given by N. E. Vredenburg of Worcester. After a violin solo by Richard Collar of West Oneonta, a paper, "Ideal Citizenship," will be read by John W. Orr, master of the Oneonta grange. Following a recitation by Elizabeth Jenkins of Oneonta and a vocal solo by Albert Brown, Mrs. Leland G. Robinson of Mt. Vision will read a paper, "The Child of the Farm."

In the evening the fifth degree will be conferred upon candidates, after which the gathering will adjourn to The Oneonta where a banquet will be served with responses by several well known members of the order.

There will be a short session Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, at which officers will be elected and delegates to the state degree to be held in Oneonta in February, chosen.

### More Rooms Needed.

While the announcement has only been briefly made that the Chamber of Commerce has promised the State Grange officials that it would house from 1,000 to 1,500 delegates during the week of February 5, residents of Oneonta are showing appreciable interest. Already many have sent word to the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce the number of delegates they could take care of during the first week in February. Chairman of the committee, M. G. Keenan, states that there must be a more liberal response from the people of Oneonta in order to relieve the committee of tense anxiety.

It will take the city no doubt to accomplish this task, but it is worth the effort and everyone should endeavor to help sustain the reputation of Oneonta's hospitality.

### "Katy Did" at High School.

The High school auditorium was practically filled last evening for the play "Katy Did," which was given Friday evening at the Woman's club. As on that evening the audience was delighted with it, every player doing as well as or better than on the former occasion. About \$70 was made.

The High School orchestra, which was never better than this year, under the direction of Miss Norton, supervisor of music, played several selections at the beginning of the entertainment and at the close. Much credit is due the players; also the play manager, prompter, mistresses of wardrobe and properties, and stage managers for the successful performance; and particularly to Miss Thomas, who has directed the play.

### Oneonta Does Handsomely.

Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce Charles E. Westervelt has received from Floyd S. Barlow, manager of the Oneonta County Farm bureau, a statement that the committee composed of members of the Chamber of Commerce secured 220 new members this year for the Farm bureau.

Mr. Barlow is very much gratified at the results thus attained and appreciates to the full measure the assistance given by the citizens of Oneonta.

### HOWE'S TRAVEL FESTIVAL.

Intensely Interesting Pictures at Oneonta Theatre Thursday, Dec. 14.

If you cannot spare the time or money to go abroad; if you have not visited those strange lands you have longed to see; if you feel that to be well-informed you should know of the life, manners, customs, industries, work and play of nations beyond our own; if you want to realize that they are fully as interesting as your own, go and see Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival, which comes to the Oneonta theatre Thursday, matines and evenings. The new program includes Hawaii, "The Paradise of the Pacific"; birds and fishes of various kinds in natural colors; Norway, "Land of the Midnight Sun"; life at the United States Military academy at West Point; charming pictures of babyhood, entirely different from those shown by Mr. Howe before; Sunny Spain; dissolving portraits of famous men; numerous new comedy cartoons, and many others. Seats now on sale.

### For Three Days Only.

Annual sale of hand-embroidered underwear and useful novelties Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday. Mrs. C. S. Banks, 122 Main street. advt. 31.

### Phone 738-W2

When in need of piano tuning or repairing by a first-class resident piano tuner. Fred C. Thron, 10 Rose Avenue. advt. 12.

To Rent—From December 1, a new seven room bungalow, all improvements, handy for railroad or shopmen. Inquire Bargain Clothing store, 20 Broad street. advt. 12.

The price of Osego coffee remains the same even though all other food products are advancing. You can't beat it. Try it out.

### Piano Tuning.

C. E. Hill, phone 666-W. The only resident tuner in the city. advt. 2.

Phone 310, coal and wood. High grade coal, hard and soft wood. Platt & Howland. advt. 12.

Wanted—Cars to overhaul during the winter. Earl V. Fritts, 48 Market street.

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## FOR CHRISTMAS GIVE BOOKS

A large assortment in this store from which to make your selection.

Also, Bibles, Prayer Books, Fountain Pens, Fine Stationery, Leather Goods, Calendars, Christmas Cards etc.

## Henry Saunders

### Grocery Specials

New pack sweet or sour pickles, 12¢ dozen.

Dill pickles, 12 oz. bottle, 15¢.

Nabob whole rice, 3 lb. package 25¢.

Bulk bacon, pound 25¢.

Old Fort coffee, pound 20¢.

Three lbs. shelled popcorn, 25¢.

Three pkgs. mincemeat, 25¢.

Two lb. jars mincemeat, 35¢.

A good New Orleans molasses, 15¢ can.

Home fried pure lard, pound, 20¢.

VanCamp's spaghetti, 1 lbs. 25¢.

Kilnrookie asparagus, 2 cans 25¢.

Otsego plums, 10¢ can.

Good corn, peas or pumpkin, 12¢ can.

A good sourkraut, 2 cans 25¢.

VanCamp's bonita fish, similar to tuna fish, 15¢ can.

Some choice turkeys, ducks and geese for Christmas.

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### 'Belle Mead' Sweets

There isn't much more that we need to say about this candy which we sell, because everybody knows that it is just the best candy that it is possible to obtain.

Proof positive of this is contained in the fact that it is the ONLY candy which we handle. Take a box home to wife or sweetheart.

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That long looked for line of Electric Portables for the holidays. The largest and most complete line of its kind, to be shown in the city, and at prices within the means of all.

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Yours for reliable electrical goods.

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### PERSONALS.

E. Cook Broadfoot of Sidney was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Mrs. J. S. Taylor leaves this morning for a week's stay in New York city.

Hon. Charles C. Flaeisch of Unadilla was in the city yesterday on legal errands.

Mrs. Elizabeth Utter returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Bainbridge.

Mrs. Lillian Verbeck of 320 Chestnut street is spending a week with Albany friends.

Mrs. W. A. Hunt of Cobleskill spent the day yesterday with Oneonta friends.

Albert D. Hitchcock of Walton was in Oneonta yesterday on his way to Hartwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyle returned home last evening from their bridal trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark of Phoenix Mills are the guests for a few days of T. P. Manning.

George Noddy returned home yesterday afternoon from a brief visit with friends in Utica.

Mrs. L. M. Cannell of Stamford is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Lyon, 8 Gill avenue.

Miss Lillian Redchard, who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Orrin Barr, left Monday for Schenectady.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey House of Cooperstown are the guests for a brief time of Oneonta relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wilsey of Worcester and M. H. Bulson of Schenectady were in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Timewell have closed their camp at Goodyear Lake and will reside in Oneonta for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Combs of 23 Luther street left Monday for a two weeks' sojourn with friends at Delanson.

Mrs. C. E. Morrison of this city left yesterday for a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Duncan, at Green Island.

Mrs. T. J. McCarthy of Port Henry arrived in the city last evening for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McCarthy.

M. E. Coutant of Kingston, master mechanic of the Ulster and Delaware railroad, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Root of Cooperstown were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to Gilbertsville for a brief sojourn at the homestead.

Guthrie Packard of Oxford, formerly employed in the Wilber bank, is seriously ill of tubercular meningitis in St. Luke's hospital, New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hanlon, who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Schermerhorn, in Davenport, were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to their home in Hamden.

C. D. Tuttle, formerly with A. E. Nye of the City bakery, left Monday morning for Schenectady, where he has purchased and will conduct a bakery on Mohawk avenue. His family will remain in Oneonta for a short time longer.

Mrs. B. S. Nichols of 52 Burnside avenue was called to Cobleskill yesterday by tidings of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. H. Holiday, who is suffering a severe attack of pneumonia, which her advanced age of 81 years renders the more critical.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hendrick, who had been visiting friends in Walton, returned to Oneonta yesterday and are again the guests of his brother, Dr. Stanton Hendrick. They will remain here for the present and are undecided about returning to their home in Honolulu.

A. D. Rowe, who had been spending the week-end with his family in Oneonta, returned Monday to East Worcester to resume his duties in connection with closing up the affairs of the East Worcester National bank. This work will probably be completed in about two weeks.

M. W. Simonson of Stamford, representing the leagues of Stamford and South Galloway, and O. B. Simonson of Grand Gorge, representing the Grand Gorge League, returned home yesterday from Utica, where they have been attending the state convention of the Dairymen's league.

Rev. Charles McCaffrey of St. Mary's church departed yesterday for Albany, where today he will attend a conference of all the clergymen of the diocese of St. Agnes hall, where there will be discussion of "Moral, Dogma and Canon Law." Bishop Cusack will preside and there will be 250 priests in attendance.

James Hadley, who has been working for a time at the local roundhouse of the D. & H. Railroad company, departed yesterday afternoon for Mohawk, where he will take charge of the Mohawk roundhouse. Mr. Hadley was formerly connected with the mechanical department of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

James Pitcher of Springfield, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Tucker of Rochester, whom the death and funeral of their mother, Mrs. Mary Pitcher, brought to this country, returned home yesterday. Following the funeral at Hartwick Seminary, they came to Oneonta and were guests Sunday night at their uncle, M. J. Platt.

Special sale of ladies and children's hats at greatly reduced prices, while they last, commencing Wednesday, December 14. Miss Lydia Newell, Lauren, N. Y.

Social dance at 115 River street Wednesday evening. Dancing 50 cents a number, including both round and square dances. Adult, 50¢.

Wanted at once experienced cook at Pranta's restaurant, 221 Main street, Cooperstown, N. Y. Good wages, Sunday off. Advt. 12.

Houses to Sell—Caulkins, real estate, 12 Broad. Advt. 12.

Plano Tuning. Munn Music company. Advt. 2w.

Sleigh shoes for sale at A. H. Murdoch's Market street. Advt. 12.

### ONEONTA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Annual Report for 1916-17. Reports with Facts of Interest to Parents and Taxpayers—Steady Increase in Attendance in All Departments.

The annual report of the superintendent of the public schools of the City of Oneonta, along with those of the principal and special teachers of the High school has just been printed and is in the hands of the school authorities and of the patrons of the school. All parties interested and who have not already received copies of the report can doubtless obtain them upon application to Superintendent Frank L. Brown at his office.

The book, which consists of 68 printed pages and many illustrations, including cuts of the new school building on Chestnut street, the class of 1916, the Echo board, the basketball team and orientation, the May-day page on River street and several others, is complete with interest to every citizen of Oneonta. From it is learned that there were 385 pupils in attendance during the last school year in the High school, 515 in the Academy, 1,007 grades, 261 on River street, 291 at East End and 129 on Chestnut street, making a total of 1,875 in the schools, with an average attendance of 1,125. In the High school there are 26 instructors, and 27 in the grades in the two schools. The total expenditures for the year were \$62,700.00, of which \$11,227.50 was for payment of bonds and interest, leaving about \$51,000 for actual expenses of schools, or which \$25,700.00 was for salaries.

The steady increase in attendance of pupils in all grades is a source of pleasure to the school authorities, and not less so is the fact that of the 231 pupils graduating from the High school in the past eight years—59 of them in 1916—fully three-fourths have entered higher institutions of learning. During the past year there were graduates of the Oneonta High school in attendance at no less than 21 higher institutions, including the leading colleges, Normal and Scientific schools of the country, and the West Point Military academy, and they are making excellent records for themselves wherever matriculated.

The reports of the principal of the High school and of the special teachers in their various departments also supply a fund of interesting information regarding the work of the school, and its extension into new but none the less important fields, such as manual and physical training, domestic science, music and art; and its perusal will confirm a belief already well settled, that Oneonta has one of the best school systems in the state, housed in buildings well adapted for their use and under the direction of a corps of instructors, superintendent, principals and teachers—admirably fitted for the work.

The new report is from the Herald press and is a credit alike to the school and to the painstaking efforts of the office from which it was issued.

### DEATHS.

Harriet Vastine Edwards.

Harriet Vastine Edwards, who at one time resided in Oneonta, died Sunday, the tenth, at the home of her brother in Kinsley, Kansas. She was a daughter of Rufus and Harriet Hart Edwards and was born at Virgil, this state, December 2, 1858. In the late years her place of business has alternated between St. Paul, Minn., and California.

She leaves a brother, R. J. Edwards, of Kinsley, Kansas, who accompanied the remains east, and a sister, Mrs. Albert B. Toney of this city.

Interment will be at Glenwood cemetery, Wednesday, Rev. J. C. Russell, D. D., officiating.

A Memorial to Dr. Kistler.

About a month ago Rev. J. L. Kistler completed his fortieth year as instructor in Hartwick Seminary, and in recognition of the event the "Old Boys" of Hartwick and others who since have been under the tutelage of the eminent Greek professor, have decided to renominate the old class room, which will hereafter be known as the "Dr. Kistler Memorial Room." Although a part of this fund has been provided for, and all who desire to participate in this memorial offering to the old school are requested to send their contributions to Rev. C. M. Karg, secretary of the fund, at Schenectady, N. Y.

By Automobile to Florida.

S. A. Terrell and Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Campbell and daughters, Frederica and Ruth, departed Friday from Oneonta for Florida, where they expect to spend the winter. The trip will be made entirely by auto, and will be via New York, Utica, Plattsburgh and Washington, and so on southward, with stops at various places of interest. It is probable that the party will end the end of their journey at Daytona Beach, though this is as yet unascertained.

Mr. Collier in Bion.

The Bion correspondent of the Utica Press, under date of Dec. 10, says: "Paul S. Collier, secretary of the New York State Board of Teacher Examiners' association, was a guest of the Binghamton school authorities at a dinner at the Hotel Bingham yesterday.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors who helped us through the sickness and death of our mother. We also want to express our thanks to the Israel's Aid society for the beautiful wreath of flowers given.

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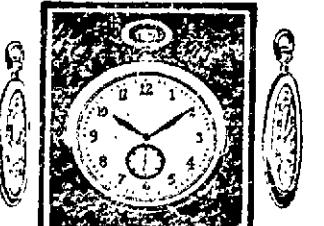
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### Thin Model Watches

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The spirit of this Xmas calls for sensible gifts and nothing fulfills this better than a pair of gloves or a present of hosiery.

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## HELP WANTED.

## OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

(Concluded from Page Three.)

MEN WANTED—To represent Singer Sewing Machine company, call Saturday or night. Manager Singer company, 43 Chestnut street.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm, wife to help with family. References required. Roland Dibble, Bloomingville, N. Y.

CAIGENTERS WANTED—Two or three men familiar with setting machinery. Address: Sheldell By-Products company, Hobart, N. Y.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework small family. Phone Mrs. F. S. Patridge, 10 Main street.

WANTED—Ladies to do hand crocheting home. Mrs. Clara Flies, 5 Cozy avenue.

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Wilson house.

GIRLS WANTED—To learn. Paid while learning. Paragon Silk Co.

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FOR SALE—Touring car in fine condition.

FOR SALE—Four cylinder Mitchell touring car, in first class condition. No reasonable offer refused. John Shattery, Grand street.

FOR SALE—Five passenger 1916 Overland touring car. Seymour Center, Mt. Vision, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—The Zorndorff restaurant, West street. Inquire of Arthur Coyle.

GROCERY FOR SALE—In town on D. &amp; G. Avenue. About \$2,000. Present owner has made money there. For particulars address box 96, Oneonta.

FOR SALE—1913 Hudson, in first class condition. J. A. Dewar.

FOR SALE—One Estey organ and one 6 horse power gasoline engine. Will exchange for a good one. George Hogington, R. D. 4, Oneonta, N. Y.

SEVERAL GOOD BARGAINS—In second hand motorcycles. Earl Frith, 48 Market street.

FOR SALE—One light saw mill, planer, timber cutter, eight H. P. Portable engine. A. H. Murdoch.

FOR SALE—Box factory and carpet cleaning works at 4 East street; also vacuum works. Inquire 92 Center street. Little Peterson.

I HAVE SEVERAL good bargains in real estate in all parts of the city. Easy terms. If interested, call A. J. Bookout, phone 211-J.

## FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO RENT—Furnished room with all improvements, for light housekeeping. Inquire 13 Academy street.

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Suitable for man and wife or normals. Reasonable rent to parties or furnishings. Good reference. Address Box 26, care of star.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bath and use of phone. Inquire 13 Academy street.

TO RENT—Plaint furnished room with all modern improvements. Mrs. J. E. Hewell, 46 Academy street.

TO RENT—Furnished room. Inquire at 7 Spring street.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms. Grand street, Keenan &amp; Wells.

TO RENT—PLAT—To rent for house-keeping. 14 Center street.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. \$300 a week. 14 Center street.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, modern improvements. S. Cook, 220 Main street, Butts' block.

## WORK WANTED.

YOUNG WOMAN—High school and Normal graduate position as book-keeper or office assistant. Excellent references. B. Oneonta Star.

WANTED—Orders for Silver plating, also polish. Phone 411-J.

WORK WANTED—Phone 801-W—Ruthie, the painter, for painting and papering.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Children's clothing a specialty. 27 Columbia street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—27 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-11-2.

## BOARDERS WANTED.



## MR. RENTER:

## A CHRISTMAS PRESENT.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. 6 High street, improvements, all rooms warm.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS—Cravens, 29 Chestnut street.

BOARDERS WANTED—Board and room \$50 per week, 60 Center street. Phone 670-2.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. 6 High street, improvements, all rooms warm.

WANTED—A Ford car and a few second hand bicycles. Earl V. Fritts, 48 Market street.

WANTED—Twenty-five or more acres of land in or adjoining city. Must be well located, high and dry. Give full description and price. Answer Aeras, care Star.

## STORAGE.

STORAGE—Dry, clean storage for household goods, reasonable rates. H. W. Lee, Main street.

DRY CLEAN STORAGE—Inquire of A. H. Murdoch, Market street.

## LOANS.

MONEY ADVANCED—On Planes, Bank Books, Life Insurance, Wages, Undivided estates, Wills, Assignments, Diamonds, Watches and other security. Levy, 234 Main street.

HANDERS OF REAL ESTATE &amp; FIRE INSURANCE—Fairchild Block 246 Main St.

## LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Grey and black (dark) Angora cat. Answers to name of Major. Please phone 2157-J.

LOST—Yellow and white Angora cat. Lost on Lower Chestnut street. Finder please notify 282 Chestnut street. Phone 671-J.

FOUND—Tiger Angora cat. Call 685-W.

STRAYED—Female Fox. Found. Color white with one white eye. Answers to name of Jenny. Any information as to her owner will be greatly appreciated.

STRAYED—Thirteen head of cattle, fresh from this month. G. C. Bright, Center.

STRAYED—Black and white Angora cat. Found 6 Lawn avenue. Phone 235-W.

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SALE—Taylor oak stove, nearly new, of B. C. Donaldson, Bell Clothing.

SALE—Used gas fixtures for parlor, living room, table lamps good and cheap. Phone 1047-J.

SALE—Several nice houses, lots, and yards. D. J. Corr, phone 1065-W for details.

SALE—Twenty White Orpington pullets. Mrs. Harriet Farns, 21 Elm.

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**A Beautiful Chest  
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Thanks to Fox Memorial Hospital.

Miss Clara E. French of Worcester has returned home from the Fox Memorial hospital after a very serious operation, performed by Dr. Cutler, and is slowly gaining.

Her stay there was made pleasanter by the good care she received from those in charge and from the nurses at the hospital, and she wishes to thank all who in any way made it pleasant for her.

## TO RELIEVE CATARRH- AL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noise, go to your druggist and get one ounce of Parmafum (strong strength), and add to it one fourth pint of hot water and one ounce of granulated sugar. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing catarrhal noise.

Augered, extract should be

breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat.

It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant. Teachers and head noise should give this prescription a trial.

## POTATO CONTEINE

Fred Sloan, Springfield Center, winner of Bull Coll.

Every year since its organization, the Farm Bureau has conducted a potato contest among school children in co-operation with the district superintendents of schools. This year 37 boys and girls entered the contest and grew 25 potatoes (100 bushels) after the tuber unit method. The ten best potatoes from the best unit of 13 pupils (the winning contestants in their respective townships) were recently judged at the Farm Bureau offices by Supervisor E. C. Parish of Oneonta.

The first prize, which is the choice of a Holstein Jersey or Guernsey bull calf, was awarded to Fred Sloan of Springfield Center, who grew 56 pounds of potatoes, which scored 102. A two and a half dollar gold piece was awarded to each of the following:

George W. Squire, Oneonta, score 78.

Rolland Leonard, Mt. Upton, score 77.

Willard All, Worcester, score 72, and

Daniel Bennett, Hartwick, R. D. score 69.

The object of this contest, we are told, is to teach plant breeding, and we are glad to know that so many of our boys and girls were interested. Many more should enter this contest next year.

Find out more about the contest.

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